



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No. 2825

Masanari ASANO

Art Unit: 2628

Application No.: 09/899,157

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For: METHOD OF AND AN APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING IMAGES

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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**July 24, 2007**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 24, 2007, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in a listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.